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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT : Request for Permission to Employ [redacted]
[redacted] as Consultant for the Office of
Research and Reports

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REFERENCE : Memorandum to Director of Central Intelligence
from AD/ORR, dated 4 December 1954, subject,
"Request for Permission to Approach Prospective
Consultant"

1. The referenced memorandum sets forth the requirement
for a consultant to the Economic Advisory Panel of ORR.

2. [redacted] who has been proposed to serve on the
Panel, has recently prepared a comprehensive report on [redacted]
[redacted] which
the Economic Defense Advisory Committee is using as a basis for
the orientation of a comprehensive research program on Soviet
Economic Trends. He has served as special consultant to the
Deputy Director of the Office of Mutual Defense Assistance Control,
Foreign Operations Administration, and as Associate Professor of
Economics, Yale University in the special field of international
economics.

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3. [redacted] is considered well qualified to contribute
to a comprehensive research program on Soviet Economic Trends,
and approval of his appointment is recommended.

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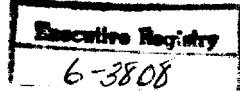
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Harrison G. Reynolds
Assistant Director for Personnel

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4 December 1954

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, Central Intelligence Agency
THROUGH : Assistant Director for Personnel
THROUGH : Deputy Director/Intelligence
SUBJECT : Request for Permission to Approach Prospective Consultant

1. Problem:

To secure permission to approach and appoint [redacted] as a consultant to the Economic Advisory Panel of ORR.

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2. Facts Bearing on the Problem:

a. ORR maintains an Economic Advisory Panel made up of a group of industrial specialists and economists who meet periodically to give guidance and direction to the research programming of the Office. The composition of the Panel is carefully planned in order to assure that the widest possible expertise can be applied to the many and varied research demands levied by ORR consumers.

b. ORR is responsible for providing intelligence to agencies of the United States Government charged with the administration of economic defense policies and operations. This required support has a direct bearing on the planned research program of the Office.

3. Discussion:

a. [redacted] Special Consultant to the Foreign Operations Administration, has recently completed a report [redacted] in which he brought to the FOA an expertise in the field of international trade and international economics. (See Tab A.) This report has been reviewed by the Executive Committee of the Economic Defense Advisory Committee in its meeting of 28 September 1954 and will serve as the basis of several special projects which will require intelligence support from this Office.

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b. It is felt that the employment of [redacted] will provide further balance to the Economic Advisory Panel in their coverage of over-all ORR research bearing on East-West trade, and that it will further provide ORR with a specific consultant who can materially assist the Office in programming research growing out of the [redacted] report to FOA.

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c. In these duties, it is expected ORR will require [redacted] services for approximately seven days a year.

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4. Recommendations:

It is recommended that ORR be given permission to approach [redacted] and, with his concurrence, subject to Security approval, to appoint him as a consultant at the rate of \$35 per day.

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EDWARD L. ALLEN
Acting Assistant Director
Research and Reports

Attachments:

A—Biographic Sketch

B— [redacted]

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CONCURRENCE:

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APPROVED SUBJECT TO SECURITY CLEARANCE:

G. P. CARELL

D/DCI

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